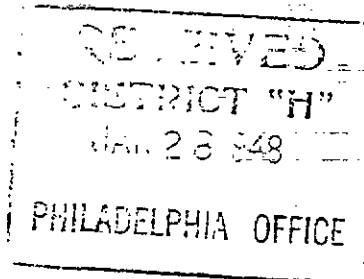


APPLICATION NO. 9008 JW

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
SANITARY WATER BOARD  
SECRETARY OF HEALTH, CHAIRMAN



APPLICATION RELATIVE TO TREATMENT OR DISCHARGE OF INDUSTRIAL WASTES

January 26, 1948

(Date)

From Penn Rivet & Machine Company

(Name of Copartnership, Association, Private Corporation or "Person")

Project is located in Hatboro in Montgomery County  
(Name of Municipality or Township)

To the Sanitary Water Board,  
Secretary of Health, Chairman,  
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

A CHECK DRAWN TO THE ORDER OF "COMMON-  
WEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA--DEPARTMENT OF  
HEALTH" FOR TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS MUST  
BE ATTACHED HERETO AS A FEE.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Code approved April 9, 1929, P. L. 177,  
and the amendments thereto and with Act 394, approved June 22, 1937, P. L. 1987 as amended  
by Act 177, approved May 8, 1945.

Penn Rivet and Machine Company

(Name of Copartnership, Association, Private Corporation or "Person")

having principal office at 3rd and Huntingdon Streets, Philadelphia 33, Pennsylvania  
(Post office address)

and operating manufacturing and plating of rivets and allied products  
(Kind of establishment)

in Hatboro in Montgomery County  
(Name of Municipality or Township)

in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, hereby make application for the issuance of a permit for  
the construction and operation of facilities for treatment of industrial wastes from a proposed  
(Describe briefly the industrial waste project for which this application is made, telling in a few words what the accompanying plans and report show in de-  
plant, with discharge to a storm sewer hence to Pennypack Creek. The wastes to be  
tall. If untreated or treated industrial wastes are to be discharged into the waters of the Commonwealth, application for permission so to do must be made  
batch treated for removal of suspended solids, oil and toxic salts and metals, each  
herein. If the application involves the discharge of treated or untreated industrial wastes to the waters of the Commonwealth, then the said report  
batch to be tested prior to dumping. The sludge resulting from treatment to be lagoon-  
must include evidence satisfactory to the Sanitary Water Board that the discharge to the waters of the Commonwealth, for which the applicant seeks a  
ed with no discharge to the sewer. The amount of treated industrial waste to be dis-  
permit, is not or will not become inimical or injurious to the public health, or to animal or aquatic life or to the uses of such waters for domestic  
charged to the storm sewer will be less than 5000 GPD and the flow will be controlled  
or industrial consumption or for recreation.)

as is more fully shown on the accompanying properly identified copies of plans and surveys prepared by

Milo S. Holdstein

(Name of Engineer)

and in the report thereon prepared by

John E. Tarnan

(Name of Engineer)

all of which are made part of this application.

V. L. Bradford

(Name)

General Manager, Penn Rivet & Machine Co

(Title)

3rd & Huntingdon Streets, Phila., 33, Pa.

(Post Office address for further correspondence)

(SEAL)

Note: The Application, all plans, reports, and other supporting data must be submitted in DUPLICATE.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

COUNTY OF Phila.

} SS:

V. L. Bradford

being duly sworn according to

law deposes and says that he is the "person" or a responsible officer of the "copartnership, association or private corporation" trading as The Penn Rivet & Machine Co.

and that the information included in the foregoing application and the data shown on the plans and set forth in the report accompanying the application and made a part hereof, are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed

V. L. Bradford  
(Name)  
General Manager  
(Title)

before me this

14th

day of

January

1948

Dorothy A. Burns  
Notary Public

My Commission expires

May 3, 1949

## RELEVANT STATE LAWS

EXCERPTS—From Act 394, approved June 22, 1937, P. L. 1987, as amended by Act 177, approved May 8, 1945.

### Article I, Section 1.

"'Industrial waste' shall be construed to mean any liquid, gaseous, or solid substance, not sewage, resulting from any manufacturing or industry, or from any establishment as herein defined which causes pollution, as hereinafter defined, and silt, coal mine solids, rock, debris, dirt, and clay from coal mines, coal collieries, breakers, or other coal processing operations.

"'Waters of the Commonwealth' shall be construed to include any and all rivers, streams, creeks, rivulets, lakes, dammed water, ponds, springs, and all other bodies of surface and underground water, or parts thereof, whether natural or artificial, within or on the boundaries of this Commonwealth."

### Article I, Section 3.

"Discharge of Sewage and Industrial Wastes Not a Natural Use.—The discharge of sewage or industrial waste or any noxious and deleterious substances into the waters of this Commonwealth, which is or may become inimical and injurious to the public health, or to animal or aquatic life, or to the uses of such waters for domestic or industrial consumption, or for recreation, is hereby declared not to be a reasonable or natural use of such waters, to be against public policy and to be a public nuisance."

### Article III, Section 307.

"Regulation of Establishments Erected or Opened or Reopened in the Future.—No person shall hereafter erect, construct or open, or reopen or operate, any establishment which, in its operation, results in the discharge of industrial wastes which would flow or be discharged into any of the waters of the Commonwealth and thereby cause a pollution of the same, unless such person shall first provide proper and adequate treatment works for the treatment of such industrial wastes, approved by the board, so that if and when flowing or discharged into the waters of the Commonwealth the effluent thereof shall not be inimical or injurious to the public health or to animal or aquatic life, or prevent the use of water for domestic, industrial or recreational purposes, except when, in the opinion of the board, such industrial waste is not inimical or injurious to the public health or to animal or aquatic life, or to the use of the water for domestic, industrial or recreational purposes, and shall grant a permit for the discharge of such industrial waste into the waters of the Commonwealth. But no permit shall ever be issued by the board authorizing the discharge of untreated industrial waste into the clean waters of the State as above defined. Public notice of every application for a permit under this section shall be given by notice published in a newspaper of general circulation, published in the county where the permit is applied for, once a week for four weeks. But any such permit shall be revocable or subject to modification and change by the board at any time thereafter upon reasonable notice, served personally or by registered mail addressed to the last known post-office address of the holder of the permit, and the owner or operator of such establishment may be required to install treatment works, approved by the board, for the treatment of such industrial waste, or for the deposition of solids in such industrial waste in the manner and to the extent as the board may require. The discharge of industrial waste into any of the waters of the Commonwealth from any such establishment contrary to the provisions of this section, or without a permit, or after the time fixed in the notice of the board when a permit is revoked, or in violation of any modification thereof, is hereby declared to be a nuisance and to be punishable and abatable as herein provided.

### Article III, Section 308.

"Approval of Plans, Designs, and Relevant Data by the Sanitary Water Board.—All plans, designs, and relevant data for the erection and construction of treatment works by any person for the treatment of industrial wastes shall be submitted to the board for its approval before the works are constructed or erected. Any such construction or erection which has not been approved by the board by written permit, or any treatment works not maintained or operated in accordance with the rules and regulations of the board, is hereby declared a nuisance and to be punishable and abatable as herein provided.